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SUBJECT: WTDR/FTI HAMI SERTEL VE BENJAMIN MIZRAHI KOLL. STI.

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- 1. TURKEY 2. CNTRY CODE: RIO 3. SER.NO.: NA
- 4. HAMI SERTEL VE BENJAMIN MIZRAHI KOLL. STI.
- 5. P.O.B.: NA; SEHITMUHTAR CAD. MIMOZA APR. 58/3, TAKSIM
- 6. ISTANBUL, TURKEY
- 7. ESTABL: 1958 8. EMPL: 5 9. SIZE: (20-X) MEDIUM
- 10. REPUTATION: (22-X) GOOD
- 11. SELLS THROUGHOUT TURKEY
- 12. RPT DATE: 7/77
- 13A 37141/53 IMP. WHOLESALE AUTOMOTIVE SPARE PARTS AND ACCESSORIES
- 13B. 20119/53IMP. WHOLESALE HIDES (STEER CROUPONS)
- 14. CONTACT: BENJAMIN MIZRAHI TITLE: PARTNER
- 15. CABLE: ERMIZ, ISTANBUL 16. TELEX: NA
- 17. TEL. 457619 & 457899
- 18. FINANCIAL REFS: T. IS BANKASI, KAZLICESME, ISTANBUL;
- T.C. ZIRAAT BANKASI, BEYOGLU, ISTANBUL; AKBANK, YAG ISKELESI,

ISTANBUL; OSMANLI BANKASI, BAKIRKOY, ISTANBUL.

- 19. TRADE REFS: FREED CO. PRODUCTS, INC., 36-08 33RD ST.,
- LONG ISLAND CITY, N.Y. 11106; TREO AUTOMOTIVE EXPORT CO., INC.,

140 KING ST., BROOKLYN, N.Y. 11231; RAUL INTERNATIONAL CORP.,

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509 WEST 56TH ST., NEW YORK, N.Y.

- 20. FOREIGN IRMS REPRESENTED: NONE
- 21. FIRM IS IMPORTER AND WHOLESALER OF AUTOMOTIVE SPARE PARTS AND HIDES (STEER CROUPONS). OFFICES LOCATED AT A PRINCIPAL

AUTOMOTIVE SPARE PARTS SALES DISTRICT OF ISTANBUL. WORKING

CAPITAL REPORTED AT TL 3.2 MILLION (TL 17.50 EQUALS \$1), NET WORTH

\$863,000 (TL 15.1 MILLION) AND 1976 SALES \$640,000 (TL 11.2

MILLION). PARTNERSHIP EQUALLY OWNED BY HAMI SERTEL AND BENJAMIN MIZRAHI. SERTEL, REPORTED TO COME FROM A WEALTHY FAMILY, OWNS AND OPERATES A TANNERY UNDER NAME "HAMI SERTEL DERI VE KOSELE FABRIKASI". BANKING AND BUSINESS CIRCLES REPORT THAT PARTNERS HAVE FAVORABLE REPUTATION AND GIVE FIRM A VERY GOOD CREDIT RATING. RECOMMENDED.

22. PREPARED BY: N. AVNI; APPROVED BY: R.W. BECKHAM; AT: U.S. CONSULATE GENERAL, ISTANBUL. DAWSON

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